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## SEARCH COMPLETED AT OAKLAND WAREHOUSE IN FIRE THAT KILLED 36

**I**nvestigators concluded their search on Wednesday of an Oakland warehouse gutted by a fast-moving fire that killed 36 people during a dance party, a police official said. The blaze erupted Friday in a sprawling two-story building known as the Ghost Ship that was leased to an artists' collective. Oakland police spokeswoman Johnna Watson told local television station KRON at a news conference that investigators are moving debris away from the charred remains of the warehouse to piece through the material. "Officially the search for any additional victims has concluded and unfortunately the toll is 36," Watson told KRON. The cause of the blaze has yet to be determined, but investigators are focusing on a particular appliance at the building. **REUTERS**



## REPUBLICAN FCC COMMISSIONERS URGE QUICK REVERSAL OF OBAMA RULES

**2** Two Republican Federal Communications Commissioners say the Trump administration should reverse many significant policies set by the telecommunications and cable regulatory body under President Obama. FCC Commissioner Mike O'Rielly said at an event at the National Press Club that the FCC under President Donald Trump needs to "undo the more harmful policies adopted by the current commission. ... The policy direction chosen in these instances was wrongheaded, harmful to consumers and the industry, costly, and ultimately unworthy of continuation." FCC Commissioner Ajit Pai said he hoped the commission would eliminate many regulations, propose fewer new actions and seek guidance from Congress before taking many actions. He said the commission should take a "weed whacker" to unneeded rules. **REUTERS**

## US SENATE JOINS HOUSE TO PASS SWEEPING NEW HEALTH BILL

**3** The U.S. Senate on Wednesday voted overwhelmingly to support sweeping new legislation that will reshape the way the Food and Drug Administration approves new medicines. It will also provide funding for cancer and Alzheimer's research and grants to help fight the opioid epidemic. Two years in the making, the 21st Century Cures Act was passed last week by the House of Representatives and will now go to President Barack Obama to sign into law. Supporters say it will speed access to new drugs and devices by allowing clinical trials to be designed with fewer patients and cheaper, easier to achieve goals. **REUTERS**

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# Harvard president rejects sanctuary campus label

Despite more than 6,000 signatures on a petition delivered to the administration, President Drew Faust said she would not adopt the designation.



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Harvard University President Drew Faust announced this week that the school will not label itself as a "sanctuary campus," despite rallies and a strongly supported petition by Harvard students and faculty urging the school to take the opposite action.

"We're all really disappointed right now. We're really hurt and we're really tired," said Miguel Garcia, a Harvard senior and a member of Protect Undocumented Students Harvard (PUSH).

When Donald Trump became the president-elect, undocumented college students started mobilizing to ensure their on-campus protection across the country.

Harvard students,

staff and faculty gathered in November to deliver a petition with more than 6,000 signatures to the school's administration, asking what a Trump administration would mean to the current undocumented students, considering his comments on immigration.

"An important thing is that Harvard students were among the first to write a petition on behalf of undocumented students; we did it the very next day after the election," Garcia said. "It was replicated by dozens of universities across the nation, many of which have already gained sanctuary campus status."

Though Faust responded to the Harvard community, mentioning the school's values of "inclusion and belonging," twice in November, The Harvard Crimson wrote a piece following those statements calling upon the university to respond to the petition's demands by Dec. 6.

At a faculty meeting this week, Faust reiterated the school's "unwavering" support for undocumented students but said that she does not intend to declare it a "sanctuary campus" specifically.

"Sanctuary campus status has no legal significance or even clear definition," Faust said in a statement. "It offers no actual protection to our students. I worry that in fact it offers false and misleading assurance."

Harvard is not alone in making that argument. Two other Ivy League universities recently announced that they will not call their schools "sanctuary campuses." The presidents of Princeton and Brown echoed Faust's comments, saying that the designation has "no basis in law," Campus Reform reported.

However, some Harvard students don't buy this reasoning.

"I think that the university is hiding behind the rhetoric that the label holds no meaning because there isn't a standard definition of what a sanctuary campus is," Garcia said. "Our argument is that we have the ability to define that for ourselves."

The University of Pennsylvania — Trump's alma mater — did declare itself a sanctuary campus, saying immigration officials are not allowed on its grounds unless armed with a warrant, Philly.com reported. A few oth-

er schools have since adopted the designation as well.

"One of our concerns recently is that the biggest donation in Harvard's history was made by someone who is now a Trump adviser," Garcia said. "So our concern is what are the motivations behind the reluctance to accept this label and whether they are financial or political in nature?"

Faust said in November that per a long-standing Harvard policy, law enforcement officials looking to enter the school's campus are required first to check in with the Harvard University Police Department and, when it comes to cases concerned with immigration laws, "will be required to obtain a warrant."

In her statement this week, Faust said that a sanctuary campus designation "also risks drawing special attention to the students in ways that could put their status in greater jeopardy."

"I believe it would endanger, rather than protect, our students, and that is not something I am willing for this institution to do," she said.

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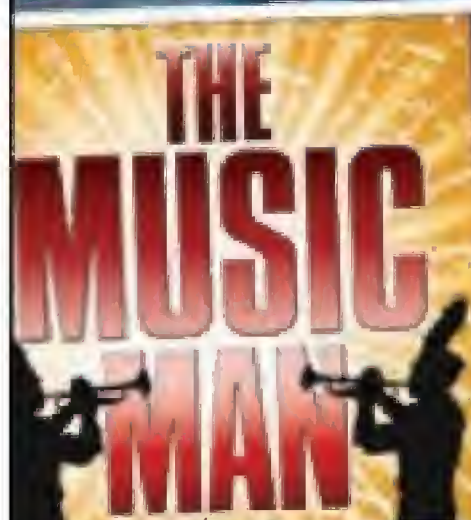
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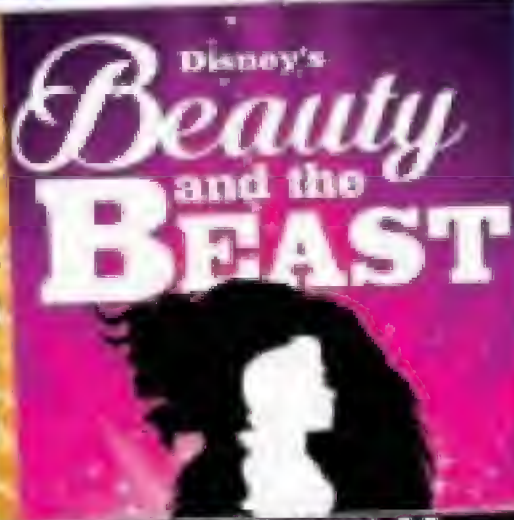
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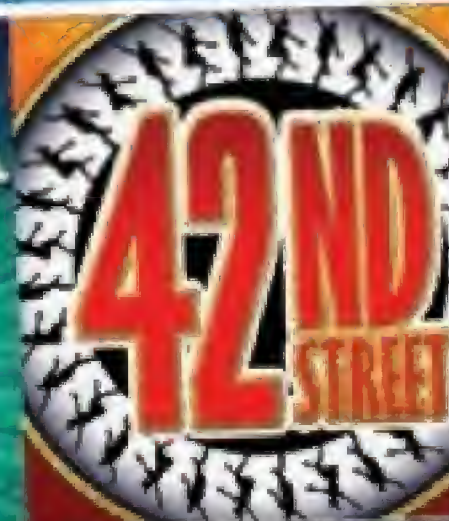
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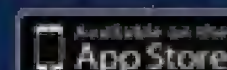
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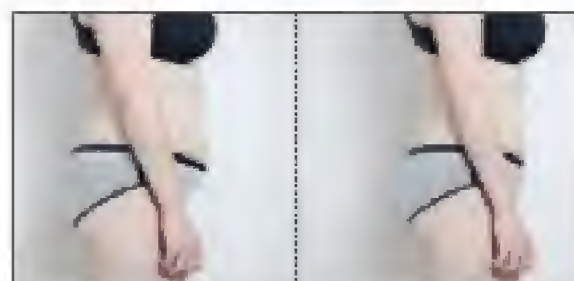




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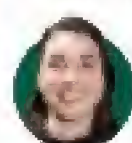


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## City Council concerned about gentrification

Councilor Tito Jackson called for a hearing on how the council can better protect community members who are being pushed out by expensive new housing.



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With neighborhoods across the city seeing a rapid rise in new housing developments, City Councilor Tito Jackson called for a hearing to address the issue of resident displacement throughout Boston.

"In Roxbury, we've actually seen a fifth of all sales in city of Boston actually occur [here] between 2009 and 2015, and the [Boston Planning and Development Agency] is taking part in several special planning areas throughout the city as a whole," Jackson said at Wednesday's City Council meeting.

"This is actually very problematic, disjointed and not comprehensive in terms of what is actually needed for these neighborhoods and communities," he said.

The city is seeing a "building boom," Jackson noted in his order calling for the hearing. Most of new homes are considered luxury rentals and condos, which tend to push out lower-income tenants from



City Councilor Tito Jackson MICHAEL CLARKE/METRO FILE

those neighborhoods, he added.

Aaron Tanaka, a community organizer for the Boston Impact Initiative, which works to help low-income residents and people of color build capital, said this is a very serious concern.

"We see Boston in a real crisis of displacement right now. In a lot of national measures, we're seen as one of the top five fastest gentrifying cities in the country," he said. "I think we're at a turning point for the future of our city."

These residents, some who have lived in these neighborhoods their entire lives, are unable to afford the what Jackson called "quote unquote affordable units" that are being built over their spaces. Jackson mentioned that prior to a recent meeting he attended for a planning initia-

tive in Dudley Square — a project that has been in the works since January — there was no assessment done of the housing impact on that planned area.

"What we were actually able to find out is in the planned Dudley area, 31 percent of those who are in housing in that area make \$10,000 or less. ... In all of Roxbury, 75.5 percent make \$50,000 or less," Jackson said. "We literally are planning with public land to displace the people who currently live there."

Jackson also gave a nod to Mayor Marty Walsh's recent filing of a petition for a law that would revamp efforts to protect tenants against "arbitrary, unreasonable, discriminatory or retaliatory evictions."

An expanded version can be seen at metro.us

### BRIEF

#### Posters promoting white supremacy found on Emerson College campus

Seven posters promoting a white supremacist group were hung inside two buildings on the Emerson College campus this week.

The posters were hung by the white supremacist group American Vanguard in an attempt "to spread its message and influence," Emerson President Lee Pelton wrote in an email to students. Six were discovered in the Walker Building on Boylston Street and one was found in a dormitory.

Pelton said the posters were a part of the group's "Northern Propaganda Campaign" to spread its racist and anti-Semitic agenda,

though he did not share details of the text or images included on the posters.

"It goes without saying that the racist and anti-Semitic rhetoric of American Vanguard has no place on our campus as a community that cherishes the diversity of ideas and people acting together in shared interests as a sustaining and core value," he wrote.

An Emerson alumnus tweeted an image of what appears to be one of the posters, found in the Walker Building on Monday.

"The posters were not put here to propagandize but rather to intimidate and silence. However, we will not be silenced. We will raise our strong voices of protest

and our unassailable belief in the enduring power of our common humanity," Pelton said.

Emerson College police are investigating.

Similar posters have been found around the Purdue University campus in Indiana and at the University of Central Florida over the past two weeks, according to reports.

"We will not tolerate the promulgation of racist and anti-Semitic declarations in our community," Pelton said.

The college's offices of Diversity & Inclusion and Student Affairs said they are offering support to students.

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Governor Charlie Baker. GETTY IMAGES

# Gov. Baker to slash \$98M from state budget

Legislative leaders say that the cuts are premature.

Lurching from one budget problem to another, Gov. Charlie Baker acted Tuesday to cut \$98 million from the \$39.25 bil-

lion state budget in an effort to match up sluggish state revenues with likely spending, including accounts he says the legislature underfunded.

Baker slashed funding for health care, the State Police, municipal regionalization, parks

*In total, 140 programs and accounts in the budget were reduced.*

and recreation and senior care. He eliminated funding for a postpartum depression pilot program, a Down Syndrome clinic and a suicide prevention account. The largest cuts came from MassHealth fee-for-service payments and the Massachusetts Office of Travel and Tourism budget, while the smallest cut of \$10,000 was for elder home care purchased services.

Administration officials for months have warned that spending needed to be scaled back because revenues are tight and some major accounts were underfunded in the budget that the Democrat-controlled legislature sent to the governor in July.

The governor opted against a major pruning of state spending in October when his team took other actions to address a nearly \$300 million budget gap, but Baker said Tuesday he was unwilling to wait until January to make spending cuts, as he did last year. House and Senate leaders Tuesday immediately pushed back against Baker's decision, calling it "premature" and "not necessary."

"It's pretty clear that with the deficiencies we need to fund — court-ordered attorneys, snow and ice, emergency assistance, stuff that I think there's general agreement that we're going to need to pay for — and the downturn that we've all seen in revenue despite the success of our economy that we needed to take action at this time," Baker told the News Service after a meeting with GOP lawmakers.

In total, 140 programs and accounts in the budget were reduced, including the elimination of a \$2 million "Big Data and Innovation Workforce" fund, money for digital health internships, and a com-

puter science education initiative.

While tax revenues are fairly closely tracking benchmarks, the governor exercised his emergency powers to trim \$53 million in earmarks, \$17 million from administrative accounts, \$6 million from MassHealth and \$21 million from other areas of the budget to bring spending in line with anticipated revenues.

After what Baker described as "pretty soft" tax collections in November that put the state \$22 million below revenue benchmarks five months into the fiscal year, the governor said he moved to trim spending to address "softening revenues, unavoidable spending deficiencies, and the Legislature's decision to restore spending above the administration's signed balanced budget."

The governor's budget office listed the areas of exposure in the current budget as a \$10 million deficiency in pharmacy revenues, \$25 million needed for the sheriffs, \$20 million for MassHealth, \$15 million in human service provider salary costs, \$15 million for the Department of Corrections, \$8 million in collective bargaining obligations and \$5 million for the Department of Mental Health.

House Speaker Robert DeLeo immediately responded to Baker's cuts by calling it "premature" to make spending cuts only five months into the fiscal year. STATE HOUSE NEWS SERVICE



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# Drug Companies Fear Release Of New \$2 Sex Pill For Older Men

*Men in clinical trial see huge boost in desire, strength of erections, and sexual activity without side effects.*

NEW YORK - It's hard to believe that in America today an affordable pill that could improve the sex lives of millions of men is in danger of being yanked from the shelves. And it's just because big drug companies fear for their profits.

The pharmaceutical industry is desperately trying to stop shipments of the remarkable new "JackedUp" pill. Big Pharma is worried because men are reporting increased sex drive, stronger erections and more stamina - all without the side-effects and \$40-per-pill price tag associated with drugs like Viagra. Clinical results show men feel these benefits within just a few weeks of taking JackedUp's active ingredient.

The pill, made for men over 50, was released early last month. Despite Big Pharma's efforts, sales have already exceeded expectations.

**"If you're over 50 and suffering from low sex drive, decreased stamina and inability to perform, low testosterone is the biggest factor. Drug companies do NOT want men to know about this affordable new pill..."**

## Exciting Benefits

There are very good reasons why sales are booming and drug companies want it gone. Apart from costing just two dollars per daily dose, the clinical results confirm JackedUp's active ingredient is very impressive. It greatly boosts a man's ability to get and keep erections. Stamina during sex also improves.

The product also has a unique ability to help men feel more passion, desire, and sex drive. These impressive benefits come from boosting testosterone levels by up to a whopping 193%. Doctors are astounded by its effects.

Why do drug companies want this pill stopped? Since the "JackedUp" pill is natural, drug companies can't patent it (like they did with Viagra) and make big profits. Plus, if you're over 50 and suffering from low sex drive, decreased stamina and inability to perform, low testosterone is the biggest factor. If you can safely boost your testosterone, you won't need their expensive pills. That's the very reason big business is trying to have it pulled from the shelves.

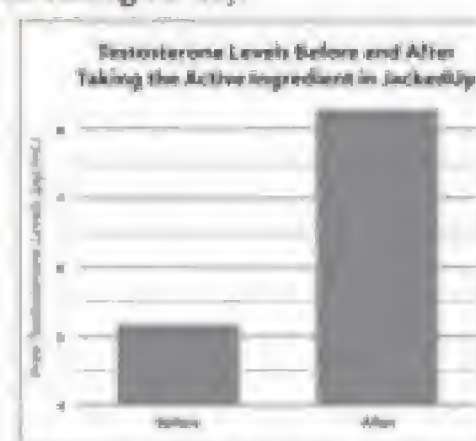
## Strong Clinical Results Worry Big Pharma

Recent clinical trials on JackedUp's active ingredient have made the drug companies more

desperate. The trial results were published in major medical journals, and doctors are now recommending JackedUp to patients.

The testing was done on men 40 - 65 years old, and the results were remarkable. The men who took the active ingredient in JackedUp reported major improvements in their sex lives. Their ability to get and keep erections went up by over 200%. Libido and sex drive surged. Even staying power and stamina during sex more than doubled!

Head of product development, Dave McNeill, said the big drug companies weren't worried at first. "They didn't care because the active ingredient can take a few weeks before many men really feel the benefits. But these awesome clinical trials really got their attention. They're learning A LOT of men will wait a few weeks if it means avoiding negative side effects and saving money."



## How It Works

The "JackedUp" pill works by helping older men produce more testosterone. It doesn't force dangerous fake testosterone into your body like injections do. Instead, it works with your body to produce testosterone naturally. And the results have been extraordinary. It's like your body reboots itself to feel like it did in the prime of your life.

## Initial Users Are Thrilled...And Worried

"JackedUp has been awesome for my sex drive and performance! I'm worried it may not be available in the future. The idea that it may be taken away just to secure some big drug company's profits is very frustrating."

- Rob H., 49 years old, Colorado Springs, CO

"My wife and I were both sexually vibrant until I had prostate cancer. After my surgery we tried everything my doctor recommended but nothing worked. Within a few weeks of taking JackedUp, everything has been functioning beautifully and we've been riding high ever since!"

- Ken S., 78 years old, Phoenix, AZ



**Big Pharma Worried:** Older men are having better sex after taking the newly released \$2 pill called JackedUp. Clinical trials show active ingredient triggers surge in desire, strength of erections, and sexual activity in older men.

## Doctors Speak Out

Drug companies are also concerned that doctors are now recommending JackedUp. The active ingredient has strong clinical results and lacks the side effects seen in current drugs on the market. This makes it an easy option for doctors to suggest.

Dr. Laguna-Bedia, a specialist in internal medicine says, "A lot of men think their lack of interest and inability to perform are simply parts of aging. This is just not true. JackedUp can help these men regain a healthy appetite for sex and the physical ability to perform."

"JackedUp works by boosting key male hormones without side effects. The benefits of these hormones to sexual health are well known, but they actually do more than that. Men also report more energy, less body fat and higher motivation," said Dr. G. Pereira, a renowned surgeon in Florida.

Dr. Jacob Moss notes, "I recommend JackedUp if you're struggling with getting and keeping erections or low libido. It's also a great option for men who want to last longer and have more control over when they orgasm."

## Special Opportunity for Our Readers

Drug companies are fighting hard to get rid of this product. This is making inventory disappear fast. Thankfully, a special discounted supply has been reserved for Boston Metro readers. But only for those who call within the next 48 hours.

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# Boston observes 75th Pearl Harbor anniversary

The Boston National Historical Park, the USS Constitution and the USS Constitution Museum hosted a commemorative service.



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Dec. 7, 1941, is truly a day that has lived in infamy, as President Franklin D. Roosevelt solemnly declared it would be when announcing the news of the Pearl Harbor attack on the United States.

This year marked the 75th anniversary of the surprise attack. The Boston National Historical Park, the USS Constitution and the USS Constitution Museum hosted a commemorative service and



The three wreaths memorialize the USS Vestal, USS Arizona and the fallen comrades of the Pearl Harbor attack. DEREK HOUYOUNG

wreath laying on Wednesday to commemorate the attack by Japanese troops on a U.S. naval base in Hawaii.

The ceremony was held on the USS Cassin Young, named for the U.S. Navy commander who was awarded the Medal of Honor after his actions on that day in which he

heroically swam back to his ship after he was blown overboard by a USS Arizona magazine explosion. Young swam through fire to take control of his ship and moved it away from the USS Arizona in order to save it.

The USS Cassin Young has been at the Boston

National Historical Park, within the Charlestown Navy Yard, since 1978, according to the USS Constitution Museum. The anniversary ceremony included a rifle salute and a rendition of taps by the Leatherneck Honors Society, along with a gun salute from the USS Constitution.

## BRIEF

### Donate to Metro's Toy Drive

In keeping with the holiday spirit of giving, Metro is once again launching Metro Magic, our annual toy drive for underprivileged children in New York, Boston and Philadelphia.

This year marks the 7th anniversary of the toy drive, which was renamed in memory of the man who oversaw the project for more than four years, Tony Metcalf, Metro's longest-running editor in chief. Mr. Metcalf passed away in 2013 from colon cancer at the age of 50.

Mr. Metcalf lit up every year as he saw the faces of children unwrap their holiday gifts. It is our goal to keep that magic alive.

"Tony felt we should use the size and scale of Metro to help other's and he used enormous dedication and force to execute the project and every year make children in need a little happier during the holiday season," said Metro's Chief Executive Officer Yggers Mortensen.

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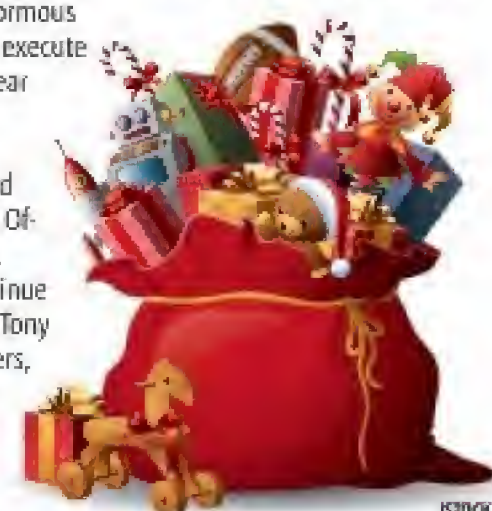
Magic year."

Metro has created a wish list at the Target website that readers can access by going to Metro.us and clicking on the Tony's Metro Magic story on the homepage.

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# NRC email fuels concerns about Plymouth nuclear plant's safety

"We are observing current indications of a safety culture problem that a bunch of talking probably won't fix."

Armed with an internal email documenting safety concerns, activists opposed to the continued operation of a Plymouth nuclear plant pressed Gov. Charlie Baker again on the issue and a senator from Cape Cod identified the plant as the state's "biggest public safety threat."

Diane Turco, president of the Cape Downwinders, received an email from a Nuclear Regulatory Commission official updating others on the ongoing inspection of Pilgrim Nuclear Power Station. It appears Turco's email address was mistakenly included among the addresses of NRC officials on a group email.

While the governor



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addressed the Massachusetts Investor Conference late Wednesday morning, five Cape Codders and one activist from Boston delivered a copy of the email to a Baker staffer and asked Baker to use his bully pulpit to urge immediate closure of the plant.

The email, which was reported on by the Cape Cod Times, detailed problems, such as "poor maintenance, poor engineering practices, and

equipment reliability problems," concluding with a frank assessment about the plant.

"We are observing current indications of a safety culture problem that a bunch of talking probably won't fix," read the assessment signed by Region 1 Operations Branch Chief Don Jackson, who described his email as an update of inspection activities at Pilgrim. At another point he pins some blame

on "a lack of resources across many groups."

Sen. Dan Wolf of Harwich said the email "validates" concerns that he said should be taken seriously by those in authority.

"What is it going to take for this administration and for public safety officials in the Commonwealth of Massachusetts to understand that this is the biggest public safety threat that the citizens of the Commonwealth face?" asked Wolf, a Democrat and possible candidate for governor in 2018.

The founder of Cape Air, Wolf told the News Service his alarm was raised on a visit to the plant five years ago.

The NRC on Wednesday said the plant on the shores of Cape Cod Bay is considered safe.

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## Designers refused to dress Ashley Graham for British Vogue

Ashley Graham is having an amazing year. After being the first plus-size model to take the cover of Sports Illustrated's Swimsuit Issue, she received her own curvy Barbie and was tapped to be one of the new judges on the reboot of Tyra Bank's "America's Next Top Model." This month, she was the cover girl for British Vogue. Graham is an outspoken advocate for body acceptance and is changing the face, or should we say body, of fashion.

But unfortunately not everyone is on



board. In the editor's letter, British Vogue's editor-in-chief, Alexandra Shulman, expressed her disappointment that several designers flat-out refused to dress Graham for the January cover. Shulman called their decision "unwise." We have less kind words that aren't appropriate for a daily newspaper.

There's a bigger picture, pun intended, that designers are clearly missing.

## This is how we know Oprah & Gayle King are real besties

If your best friend only ever has nice things to say to you all the time, you need a new best friend. For inspiration, look no further than Oprah and her BFF Gayle King. The power pair has a friendship that spans decades, and they have mastered the art of keeping it real with each other.

On Monday, King Instagrammed a photo of herself



making a television appearance. In the caption she shared Oprah's commentary on her accessory. "Note @oprah sent to

my asst this am 'plz tell Gayle I'm on treadmill & it's hard to focus w/the circus around your neck' I think she's WRONG thoughts?"

And that's not the first time Oprah has been hilariously harsh with her friend. Us Weekly recalled another time O kept it too real about Gayle's red lipstick.

It forces the question: If your friends don't roast you, are they really your friends?

## Russell Crowe will not be charged for hotel incident with Azealia Banks

In one of the more bizarre stories of the year, Azealia Banks crashed a small gathering hosted by Russell



Crowe back in October. Things took a dark turn when an altercation in the hotel room where the event was hosted resulted in Crowe physically removing Banks from the room.

Banks pressed assault charges against Crowe, claiming that he called her the n-word and spat on her in addition to roughly tossing her out of his suite. TMZ reports that the Los Angeles County DA is

rejecting the charges. They found his actions justifiable because of witness testimony that names Banks as the aggressor — she allegedly threatened to cut guests with a glass.

It's worth noting that all of these witnesses are friends of Crowe's who were invited to the party, which sucks for Banks.

# the word

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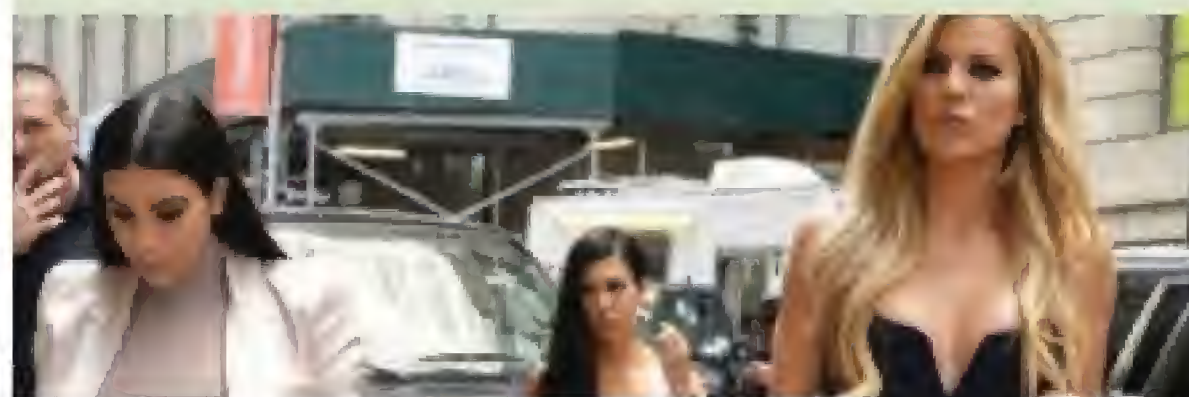
## Kim, Khloe & Kourtney don't want Blac Chyna using the Kardashian name

Kim, Khloe and Kourtney are drawing a hard line in the sand when it comes to Blac Chyna. From the looks of things, the sisters do not mix business with pleasure. In May, TMZ released

documents filed by Chyna to trademark the name "Angela Renee Kardashian." It's possible that as she continues to grow her brand, Rob Kardashian's fiancée might want to distance herself from the Blac Chyna moniker, which she's had since she was a stripper in Miami. But the sisters are

trying to block the trademark, according to TMZ. They claim that if Chyna gets the trademark, they will "suffer damage including irreparable injury to their reputation and goodwill."

Honestly, if the Kardashian brand can survive sex tapes and Scott Disick, Angela Renee certainly won't kill it.



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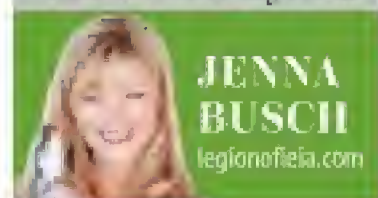
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# How to make a decent movie trailer

Geek Girl in Hollywood



I spent this morning watching trailers for a zillion movies and TV shows. I did it because a certain transforming robot movie trailer intrigued me. I've been pretty public about my dislike for the "Transformers" films. Please don't get mad. If you love them — and clearly a whole heck of a lot of you do — that's totally cool. I love things that lots of other people don't.

But today I wanted to talk about trailers.

I remember staying up all night for the "Star Wars: The Force Awakens" trailer and unabashedly crying when I saw it. Same for the one they showed at the fan convention Star Wars Celebration. It grabbed me, it gave me a reason to care and it didn't give away



Director Michael Bay, right, is seen on set making his fifth robo-alien movie "Transformers: The Last Knight," out June 23, 2017. PARAMOUNT PICTURES

the plot.

We used to get one trailer per movie, with a cheesy voice-over. Now we have trailer announcements, video trailers for a trailer, teaser trailers and several actual trailers, along with featurettes and more. It's too much. I mean, sometimes they're great. Sometimes they suck. Mostly they give away too much of the film. I'm looking at you, "Terminator Genisys." I

get that you were trying to hook us with the best stuff in the film, but if I've pretty much seen it all in the trailer, why should I give you my money?

Though "Suicide Squad" wasn't my jam, the trailers for the film totally hooked me. I got an intriguing look at the characters and the imagery, without the story being given away. I feel the same way about the trailer for the TV show

adaptation of the Neil Gaiman book "American Gods." I have a pretty strong feeling that I'm going to love that show, but what I got from the trailer didn't give anything away. It let me know that I'm going to see important moments from the book, it showed me that the diversity of casting was pretty darn cool and it revealed that the actors would be compelling. It teased and it did that well.

Here's what I want in my trailers: I want to know why I should care about the people I'm about to spend time with. I want to know how the film is going to look and feel. I want to get an idea of the film's genre. I want to be teased with a story. What I do not want is the big reveal, the entire plot, whether or not the main leads hook up or anything that tells me how it's all going to go down.

There is an art to teasing. Give us a wink, not a big, sloppy kiss.



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These are the local acts you'll want to keep an eye on.

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The annual Boston Music Awards are upon us, bringing a yearly opportunity to survey the movers and shakers among the regional arts scene. With the festivities being held tonight at House of Blues Boston, we wanted to shine a spotlight on five need-to-know acts of this year's BMAs.

### Cousin Stizz

**Nominated for:** Artist of the Year, Album/EP of the Year ("Monda"), Hip-Hop Artist of the Year, Live Artist of the Year, Song of the Year ("Where I Came From")

You know how at award shows you can tell who's really having their moment when you see their name sprawled across multiple categories, all but assuring that they'll be leaving that night with at least a memento

or two? At these BMAs, that's Cousin Stizz, the Fields Corner rapper who this year followed up his breakout "Suffolk Country" project with the well-received "Monda." Stizz, who headlined a sold-out show at Paradise Rock Club this summer, has already widely earned recognition and respect (you might have heard his track "Shoutout" on a recent episode of Donald Glover's "Atlanta," and he played the Trillectro Festival in Maryland with luminaries like Kid Cudi), so tonight could be a coronation.

### Palehound

**Nominated for:** Artist of the Year, Video of the Year ("Molly"), Rock/Indie Artist of the Year

After breaking out as 2015's New Artist of the Year, Palehound has only gone on to bite off more of the musical apple, but not more than they can chew. The scaled-back alt-rockers would be

right at home on the soundtrack to your favorite '90s big-screen teen dramedy, but lead singer Ellen

Kempner's oozing vocals and the band's twangy vibe still sounds pretty great piping out of your modern smartphone of choice.

### Bearstronaut

**Nominated for:** Album/EP of the Year ("Telecoast"), Electronic Artist of the Year

The pop-electronica outfit is already a favorite

around town, having taken home last year's Electronic Artist of the Year Award, and their recent debut album, "Telecoast," was recorded as a result of competitively winning a week's worth of studio time at the Brooklyn Converse Rubbertracks Studio, so they're used to prized fanfare. With a radio-friendly, retro-futuristic sound, Bearstronaut is essential information for your earholes.

### Ruby Rose Fox

**Nominated for:** Video of the Year ("Dance of Frankenstein"), Female Vocalist of the Year, Singer-Songwriter of the Year

Ruby Rose Fox is a master of matching spooky lyrical imagery with affecting, moody and powerful vocal performances, and 2015's Pop Artist of the Year has never better show-

### "Beast" compilation serves as ideal BMA primer

With 13 original songs by 13 local acts — including 10 new tracks by 2016 Boston Music Award-nominated artists — the "Boston Sessions Vol. 1: Beast" compilation is a comprehensive survey of the Hub's musical talent. A product of music nonprofit The Record Co., the album, which has just been released on vinyl and can be supported via Pledge Music, unites emerging regional talent like Dutch ReBelle, Michael Christmas, Littlefoot and Julie Rhodes — and the first installment of the planned multiyear initiative makes a perfect introduction for the local music lover looking to get a bead on the scene. [Bostonsessions.org](http://Bostonsessions.org)

cased these strengths than on her Video of the Year-nominated "Dance of Frankenstein." Brassy and swaggerific, if you dig the experimental creativity and range of someone like Sia, you'll want to keep a tab on Ms. Rose Fox.

### Bad Rabbits

**Nominated for:** R&B Artist of the Year

The thrice-in-a-row

reigning R&B Artists of the Year are set to defend their crown, and will do so now behind the strength of their just-released "American Nightmare," the follow-up to 2013's "American Love." The new album just might be their most complete work to date, distilling the electric urgency the band fronted by singer Dua Boakye brings to their live shows, and their ongoing success makes them a standard-bearer for musicians looking to cement their local bona fides as they develop audiences beyond our fair commonwealth.



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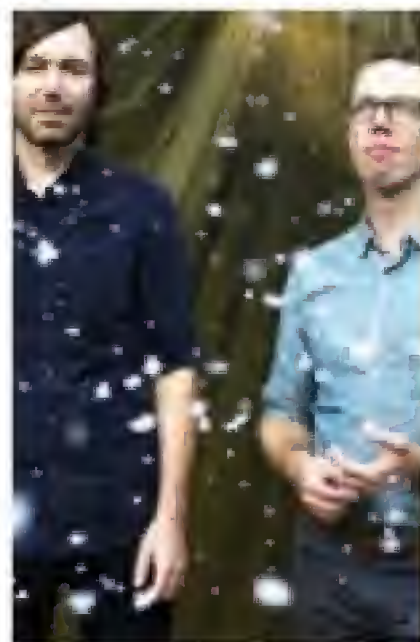
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### MUSIC

#### Kenny G

"All publicity is good publicity," goes the cynical proverb, and it's definitely true for Kenny G, the soprano-sax wielding king of easy listening jazz, who's been the butt of endless jokes without it hindering his career in the slightest. At this show he'll be doing a mix of hits and holiday tunes.

Dec. 8, 8 p.m.  
Shubert Theater  
265 Tremont St., Boston  
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Matt Pond PA SEAN HANSEN

### COMEDY

#### Terrible People

Terrible People is a local sketch comedy group creating, in their words, "comedy for jerks." Anybody who's participating in a Facebook thread can confirm that jerks are a large and growing demographic in America today, so this is a smart move.

Dec. 10, 11 p.m.  
ImprovBoston  
40 Prospect St.  
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#### Matt Pond PA

Despite his performing moniker, Matt Pond was raised in New Hampshire and has already ditched Philadelphia for Brooklyn by the time he started blowing up in 2003. Pond's folksy indie rock style has lent itself to opening touring slots with artists as different as Ted Leo, Nickel Creek and Jimmy Eat World. His latest album, "Winter Lives," dropped in November.

Dec. 8, 9 p.m.  
Great Scott,  
1222 Comm. Ave., Allston  
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### MOVIES

#### "Eyes Wide Shut"

This time of year we like to represent fun holiday events as well as chances to escape from the season. As far as the latter, we can guarantee Stanley Kubrick's film has nothing to do with the holidays, unless you come from an Illuminati family, in which case you probably have bigger problems than holiday malaise.

Dec. 10, 11:45 p.m.  
Coolidge Corner Theater  
290 Harvard St., Brookline  
\$12, [coolidge.org](http://coolidge.org)

### BOOKS

#### Alice Hoffman

This popular author, a Boston resident, reads from her latest, "Faithful." Hoffman is known for the light touch of fantasy she adds to her works, and "Faithful" is no different, involving a guardian angel. Here, Hoffman's heroine is a trauma survivor whose struggle with guilt and recovery is hardly whimsical.

Dec. 8, 7 p.m.  
Harvard Book Store  
1256 Mass. Ave., Cambridge  
Free, [harvard.com](http://harvard.com)

### THEATER

#### "Return of the Winemaker"

Tir Na Theater presents this comedy imagining what might have happened if Jesus had been born in Ireland instead of Judea. One thing is for sure: His neighbors are a lot more interested in his water-to-wine skills than their counterparts in the Levant were. Before long he's producing the whole local supply — at least until he's reminded of his whole Messianic mission and stuff.

Through Dec. 23  
The Rockwell, 255 Elm St.  
Somerville, \$25, [timatheatre.com](http://timatheatre.com)

### HOLIDAY

#### Gingerbread House Design Competition

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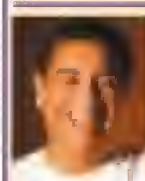
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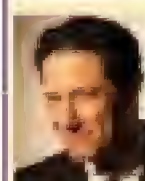
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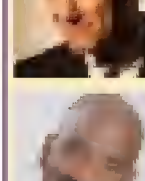
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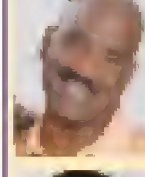
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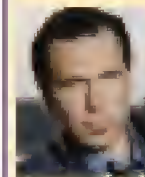
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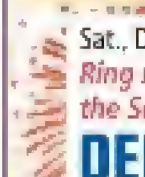
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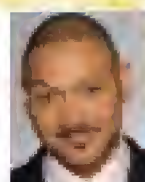
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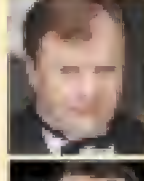


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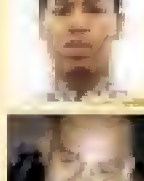
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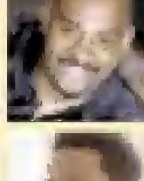
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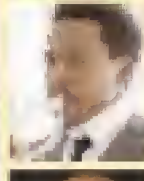
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Sisters Casey and Vanessa White sell handmade Polish dumplings with a modern twist. You might find them at the Somerville Winter Market or the Canal District Farmers'

Market in Worcester, or popping up at a local brewery or cider house for a night of tasty pairings featuring their doughy delights, which are lovingly named Jaju Pierogi. These young entrepreneurs — Casey is 24, and Vanessa is 29 — roll their creations on the North Shore, churning out flavors

like pumpkin and feta, kielbasa and red pepper and sweet potato with caramelized onions.

When they're not in the kitchen, the White sisters have an eye for good eats. They share their favorite spots to grab a quick bite, enter a coloring contest and find the area's best (and freshest) lobster rolls.

## Best late night meal?

**Vanessa:** Punjabi Dhaba in Inman Square. Casey and I went here on Christmas Eve last year. These guys are reliable. With \$10 cash, you get a metal tray piled with the main dish of your choosing, rice, toppings and naan. I throw on veggie samosas to make sure I'm extra full. 225 Hampshire St., Cambridge, [punjabidhaba.co](http://punjabidhaba.co)

**Casey:** A chicken burrito with extra guacamole from Anna's Taqueria always wins. Various locations, [annastaqueria.com](http://annastaqueria.com)

## Best meal under \$5?

**Vanessa:** Take your pick at the Super 88 [AKA Hong Kong Supermarket] food court in Allston. 1095 Commonwealth Ave., Allston, [hongkonghypermarket.com](http://hongkonghypermarket.com)

**Casey:** Juliet's breakfast tacos. 257 Washington St., Somerville, [julietssomerville.com](http://julietssomerville.com)

## Best hidden foodie gem?

**Vanessa:** Helmand in East Cambridge, near Lechmere. This place serves up Afghan food that is simple but different and seriously delicious. I love the vegetarian special — pumpkin, eggplant, spinach and okra with tomatoes, paired with pallow rice. 143 First St., Cambridge, [helmandrestaurant.com](http://helmandrestaurant.com)

**Casey:** I absolutely love My Other Kitchen in Belmont. If you like gyros or chicken souvlaki, this is your place. 762 Pleasant St., Belmont, [my-other-kitchen.com](http://my-other-kitchen.com)

## Best place to dine alone?

**Vanessa:** Sound Bites — they have a weekly coloring contest. Sit at the bar and color while you eat. Submit your masterpiece to compete! 704 Broadway, Somerville, [soundbitescafe.com](http://soundbitescafe.com)

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**Casey:** Whole Heart Provisions in Allston. They have the best veggie bowls and bar stools situated right near the window — perfect for people-watching. 487 Cambridge St., Allston, [wholeheartprovisions.com](http://wholeheartprovisions.com)

## Where do you recommend to out-of-towners?

**Vanessa:** People always want to eat seafood, but it's hard to get the simple, fresh stuff in Boston — I think.

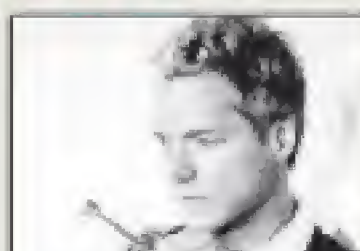
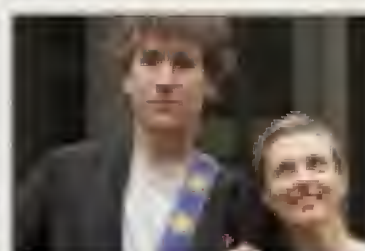
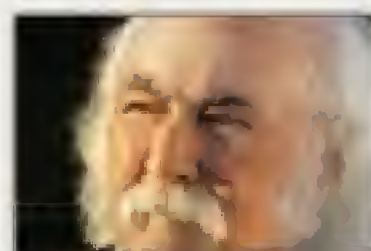
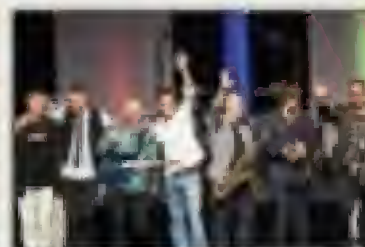
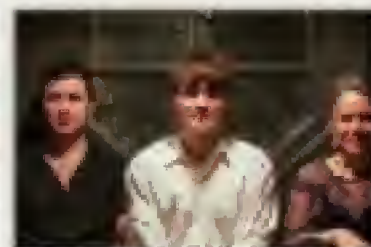
I'd send them to the Seaport Grille in Gloucester for \$9.99 lobster rolls on Thursdays. Fresh off the boat! 6 Rowe Square, Gloucester, [seaportgrille-gloucester.com](http://seaportgrille-gloucester.com)

**Casey:** Sarma. This restaurant is exceptional — amazing food, amazing drinks, and cool atmosphere and concept. 249 Pearl St., Somerville, [sarmarestaurant.com](http://sarmarestaurant.com)

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## 3. The countdown has begun

24 Days of Tea Advent calendar. \$40, [davidstea.com](http://davidstea.com)

## 4. Pinots are the ultimate holiday wine

Cambria Benchmark Pinot Noir. \$25, Wine stores



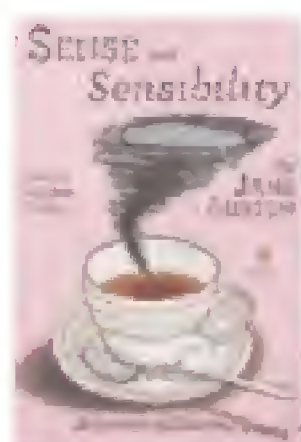
## 5. Take that, overpriced grocery store

Garden-in-a-Bag Herb Collection. \$72 for a set of 8, [bambeco.com](http://bambeco.com)



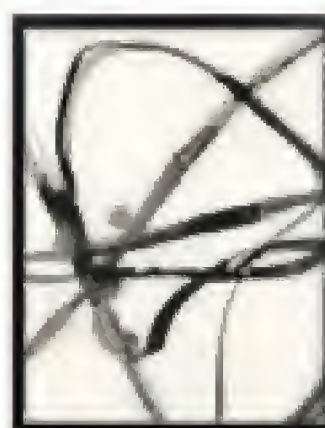
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## 7. Let them eat anything off this cake plate

Cake stand. \$17.99, [hm.com](http://hm.com)



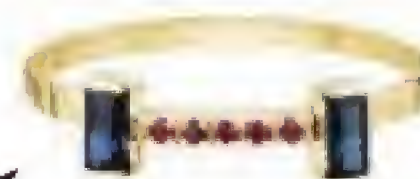
## 10. Inspire her gallery wall

Plant Cel 1 by Mary Caspar. \$86-\$212, [minted.com](http://minted.com)



## 11. No more frumpy flannels

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## 9. Well, someone's been nice

Loren Stewart Dutchess Band Ring. \$695, [quietstorms.com](http://quietstorms.com)



## 12. It's all about the bare shoulders this season

Willfred Croquis Sweater. \$125, [aritzia.com](http://aritzia.com)

## 13. Glam it up with fun faux fur

Ann Taylor Color-block Furry Stole. \$75.50, [anntaylor.com](http://anntaylor.com)



## 14. Her cheese board game just got even crazier

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Ryder cuff beanie. \$39.50, [madewell.com](http://madewell.com)



## 16. Dress up her Chucks

Converse Chuck Taylor All Star Metallic high tops. \$65, [converse.com](http://converse.com)





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# An alternative holiday season



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"Christmas in Paradise" may have been a forgettable holiday film, but the concept of families escaping the gray, winter doldrums for a Caribbean beach is spot on. Think of Aunt Sally, who'd much rather be relaxing under a cabana with a rum cocktail than cooking that Christmas bird in a sweaty kitchen. Trading your idea of a white Christmas for

sand instead of snow is as easy as flying (Newark from \$884) to Aruba, the island where winter never comes — but holiday traditions do.

It all starts when you enter Hyatt Regency Aruba Resort Spa and Casino (from \$925 a night), where eggnog and a beach bag set the tone at check-in. The hotel puts you at the center of the action, whether that's walking to the beach or the city center, where you might run into a familiar figure.

Aruba belongs to the Kingdom of the Netherlands, so expect to see Sinterklass, the Dutch equivalent of ol' St. Nick. He's known to appear on Christmas Day — and who can blame the jolly old soul for starting his vacation after a very long night of delivering gifts around the world?

Pose for a photo with Santa/Sinterklass by the island's signature divi-divi tree.

If you're partial to the traditional turkey dinner, feast on a holiday meal with all the trimmings at Palms Restaurant. But if you're game enough to try something completely different, the can't-miss experience is Keshi Yena. The Aruban dish, which translates to "stuffed cheese," is made by filling the leftover rind of an Edam or Gouda cheese wheel with tangy spiced meat, onion, tomato, green pepper, olives, capers, raisins and piccalilli. It's baked until the wheel is hot and bubbly. And some bubbly, as in champagne, goes hand-in-hand with the unique island treat.

Aruba is just 18 miles from the coast of Ven-

ezuela, where the tradition of making ayacas comes from. The holiday treat is comprised of plantains, chicken, pork, ham and spices, plus a potpourri of raisins, olives, pickles and cashews. The seasonal treat served in a variety of restaurants during the week of Christmas.

The sounds of the season are provided by Gaita bands. Arubans have adopted this Venezuelan Christmas music and turned it into their own holiday tradition, typically made up of a line of female singers accompanied by musicians playing the furuku, cuarta, bass and conga. Catch their festive rhythms during the holidays at shopping malls and business districts.

The party continues until New Year's Eve, which is a big deal in the

Southern Caribbean. Arubans celebrate Dande, which literally means "to carouse."

Locals throughout the country wish each other success and happiness via song. The upbeat and rhythmic Dande tunes are delivered on the beach and in town.

The tradition of fireworks to ring in the New Year has made it to the island, but the pyrotechnic shows are different in Aruba. Called pagara, these long string of Chinese firecrackers end in large, dramatic displays are set off throughout the days leading up to New Year's Eve to ward off evil spirits for the



coming year. The largest pagara is set off mid-afternoon on New Year's Eve in the heart of downtown Oranjestad on the main boulevard, with the climactic ending in front of the Renaissance Mall.

Spending Christmas week in balmy Aruba is certainly a tempting alternative to chilling out in the Northeastern corridor. You may not be able to make a snowman, but that means no one has to de-ice the car or shovel snow, either.



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A boat sails past a complex of Buddhist temples and monasteries on Myanmar's Irrawaddy River. **THERRY FAUSE, LIGHTROCKET**

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## Inside Passage

### Cruises up the west coast

of Canada and Alaska aren't uncommon, but there are quite a few small-scale options able to reach more remote inlets and fjords — including the intricate Inside Passage — that offer a sense of discovery no big ship ever could. One cool option is aboard a deluxe 12-passenger Westwind Tugboat Adventure where

you may spot bears, whales and eagles during the weeklong voyage.

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Head south for glimpses of ancient Europe that feature Moorish architecture, flamenco and equestrianism. Andalusia is the region of southwest Spain from which Columbus set off for the Americas, one of several stops along a journey by CroisiEurope, one of few companies operating from Cordoba to Seville to Cadiz — one of the oldest inhabited cities on the Iberian Peninsula.

## South Pacific

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## Lewis the better option

With the No. 1 rush defense coming to New England in the Baltimore Ravens, Dion Lewis may be the preferred Patriots running back in Week 14. While LeGarrette Blount is one of the most reliable fantasy backs in the game right now, you can bet Bill Belichick will scheme to attack his opponent's weakness, as he normally does, which means not a ton of Blount's ground-and-pound runs up the

middle. Lewis should have no problem finding room to work, and you can always count on Tom Brady to find his pass-catchers in space so they can make plays.

## Thielen a flex favorite

Adam Thielen has now posted 10 or more PPR fantasy points in five straight games, and 13-plus in each of his last three. That is exactly the kind of floor you want from your flex player. It doesn't need to be an earth-shattering performance, but it needs to not drag your team down. While many would attribute Thielen's success to Stefon Diggs' recent absence, Thielen still thrived with Diggs back in the mix, catching seven balls for 86 yards in Week 13. In Sam Bradford's dink-and-dunk offense, there is a ton to like here if you're looking for a streaming option.

## Bye, bye Brandon

Here's a fun tidbit: Brandon Marshall was drafted

as the 18th player overall in fantasy drafts this year on average. Through Week 13, he is player No. 124 in total scoring, even falling behind some defenses and kickers. Most (if not all) of Marshall's struggles can be blamed on poor quarterbacking, and things certainly aren't going to improve down the stretch. The Jets announced Tuesday that they will start rookie QB Bryce Petty for the rest of the season, and while Petty has potential, he is far from polished. Marshall can only score if someone can get him the ball, and that simply won't be the case. With your season on the line, look elsewhere for WR production.

## Sleepers of the week

Each week we will identify three players worth taking a shot on in deeper leagues.

Ladarius Green, TE, Pittsburgh Steelers – Green finally broke out in Week 13, shredding the Giants with a 6-110-1 line. He



Roll the dice with Dion Lewis this week. BOSTON GLOBE VIA GETTY IMAGES

could be the No. 2 option that Big Ben and the Steelers have been looking for.

Mike Gillislee, RB, Buffalo Bills – More than just a handcuff,

Gillislee is coming off an 8-49-2 line and should remain in the mix to spell LeSean McCoy with Tyrod Taylor struggling.

Tyler Boyd, WR, Cincinnati Bengals –

Has a great matchup against the Browns this week, and has 15 targets over his last two games. May not find the end zone, but the yardage and receptions should be there.

## No rest for B's



David Krejci and the Bruins will play the second night of a back-to-back tonight at the Garden (7 p.m., NESN) against the visiting Colorado Avalanche. The Avalanche enter with a dismal 9-14-1 record on the season, the second worst record in the NHL. GETTY IMAGES

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# SALE TRADE AN ABSOLUTE STEAL FOR THE RED SOX

OPINION

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The Chris Sale trade wasn't just a great one for the Boston Red Sox. It was an absolute steal.

Boston acquired the 27-year-old ace in a trade on Tuesday that sent four prospects to the Chicago White Sox. Those prospects included 21-year-old infielder Yoan Moncada and 20-year-old pitcher Michael Kopech. Moncada was the Red Sox' No. 1 prospect and arguably the top prospect in all of baseball. Kopech was the Red Sox' No. 5 prospect.

Those two names alone have the prospect junkies — as I like to call them — up in arms. They believe the Red Sox "gave up on the future."

I'm here to tell you that couldn't be further from the truth. The future is still here. It's in the form of 22-year-old Andrew Benintendi, 23-year-old Eduardo Rodriguez, 24-year-old Mookie Betts, 24-year-old Xander Bogaerts, 26-year-old Jackie Bradley Jr., and 26-year-old Christian Vazquez, just to name a few. That doesn't even include last year's first-round pick, lefty pitcher Jason Groome, who's only 18 years old, and will probably end up being listed as the organization's No. 1 prospect at some point in 2017.

The mere fact that president of baseball operations Dave Dombrowski didn't have to give up any of those players — along with Moncada and Kopech — in a trade for Sale is amazing. If you had asked me last week what it would take to get the White Sox to pull the trigger on a trade that included Sale, I would have told you Moncada, another top-five prospect, two



Chris Sale went 17-10 with a 3.34 ERA this past season. GETTY IMAGES

other prospects, and someone from Boston's MLB roster. I would've been confident in telling you that Bradley Jr. had to be involved. And even at that point, I wouldn't have been convinced that'd be enough to get a deal done.

Yet, here we are. Sale is now the Red Sox' new ace. And nobody from next year's starting lineup had to get shipped out of town for it to happen.

It wasn't just the prospect junkies who were panicking when this trade went down, though. Every headline you read on Tuesday had some form of it. Another clever twist was, "Boston goes all-in on 2017."

That withholds the fact that Sale is only 27 and is under contract for the next three seasons. And I just pointed out to you that the "future" is still here. It just sees the addition of a star pitcher in his prime.

Sale turns 28 in March. The lanky lefty is a five-time All-Star and a strikeout machine. At 6-foot-6, 180 pounds, Sale's slider — as a power pitcher — is arguably the filthiest pitch in baseball.

He enters the Red Sox organization and immediately becomes the ace. I don't care that Rick Porcello just won

the American League Cy Young award. I don't care that David Price is making \$30 million a season. Sale is now the best pitcher on the team.

And for anybody concerned with his little scissor outburst last year in Chicago — he cut up the team's throwback jerseys before a game he was supposed to start — as long as he's making 32 starts and striking out 225 guys a year, he can do whatever he wants to the Red Sox' secondary jerseys. (In fact, side note: I'm almost begging for him to cut up those red "Friday night" home jerseys. Those things are brutal. Just give me the home whites at Fenway and I'll be just fine.)

Anyway, you get the point. Sale is the type of pitcher you watch and say, "Why can't we get a guy like that?"

Well, now the Red Sox have him. And regardless of what the headlines read or what the prospect junkies will tell you, they didn't give up on the future to get him. They just added to it.

And that's an absolute steal.

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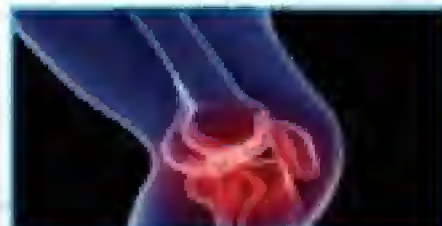
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December 1, 2016, December 8, 2016 and December 15, 2016

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**Estate of: Janet Ann Forsyth**

**Also Known As: Janet C. Forsyth**

**Date of Death: 9/22/2016**

**Suffolk Division**

To all persons interested in the above captioned estate, by Petition of Petitioner **Philip D. Forsyth of Methuen MA** a Will has been admitted to informal probate. **Philip D. Forsyth of Methuen MA** has been informally appointed as the Personal Representative of the estate to serve without surety on the bond.

The estate is being administered under informal procedure by the Personal Representative under the Massachusetts Uniform Probate Code without supervision by the Court. Inventory and accounts are not required to be filed with the Court, but interested parties are entitled to notice regarding the administration from the Personal Representative and can petition the Court in any matter relating to the estate, including distribution of assets and expenses of administration. Interested parties are entitled to petition the Court to institute formal proceedings and to obtain orders terminating or restricting the powers of Personal Representatives appointed under informal procedure. A copy of the Petition and Will, if any, can be obtained from the Petitioner.

**CITATION GIVING NOTICE OF PETITION FOR APPOINTMENT OF GUARDIAN FOR INCAPACITATED PERSON PURSUANT TO G.L.c. 190B, §5-304**

**Docket No. SU16P2637GD**

**Commonwealth of Massachusetts**

**The Trial Court**

**Probate and Family Court**

**In the matter of: William Orben**

**Of: Boston, MA**

**RESPONDENT**

**Alleged Incapacitated Person**

To the named Respondent and all other interested persons, a petition has been filed by Teh Dept of Developmental Services of Boston, MA in the above captioned matter alleging that **William Orben** is in need of a Guardian and requesting that Teh Dept of Developmental Services of Boston, MA, for some other suitable person, be appointed as Guardian to serve on the bond.

**Suffolk Probate and Family Court**  
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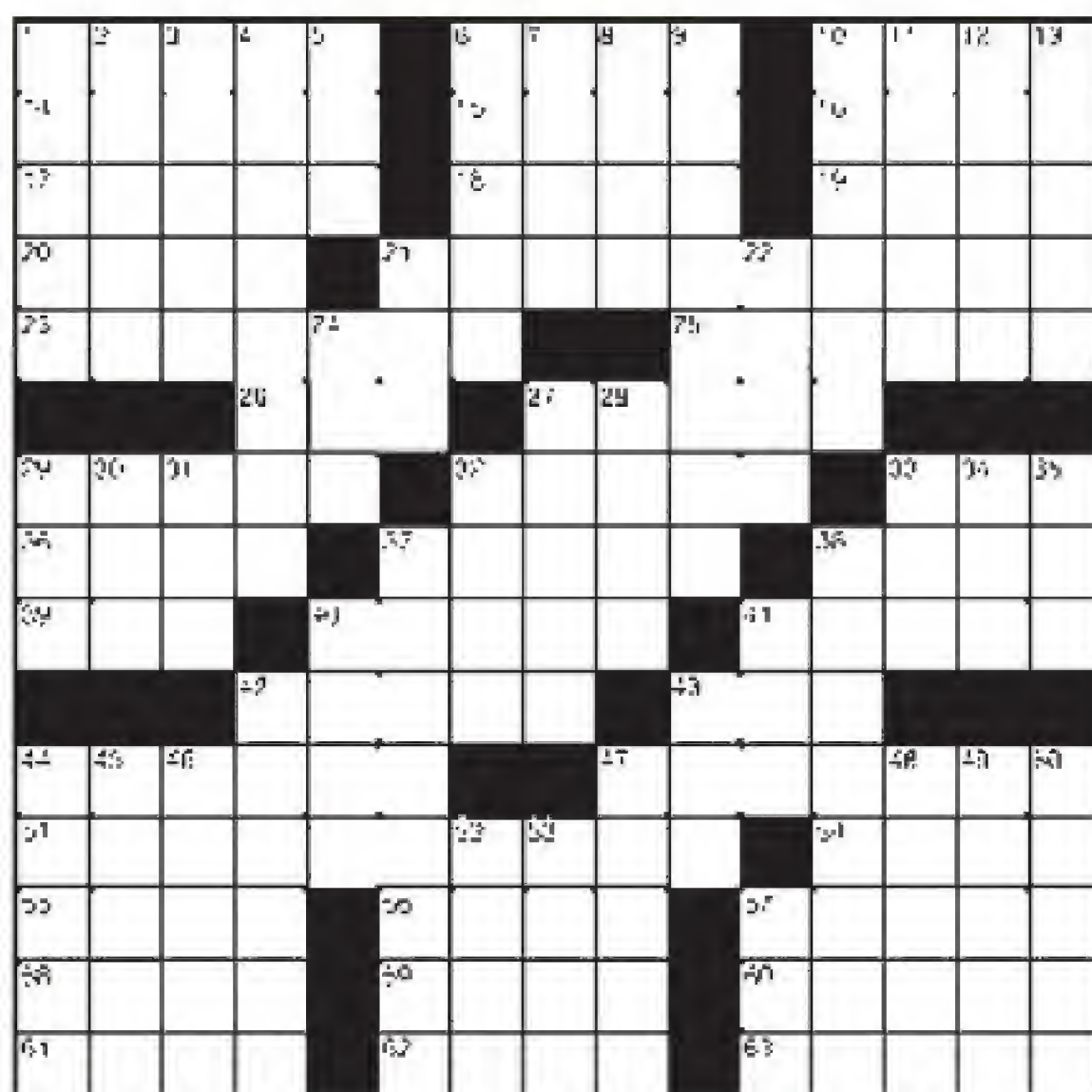
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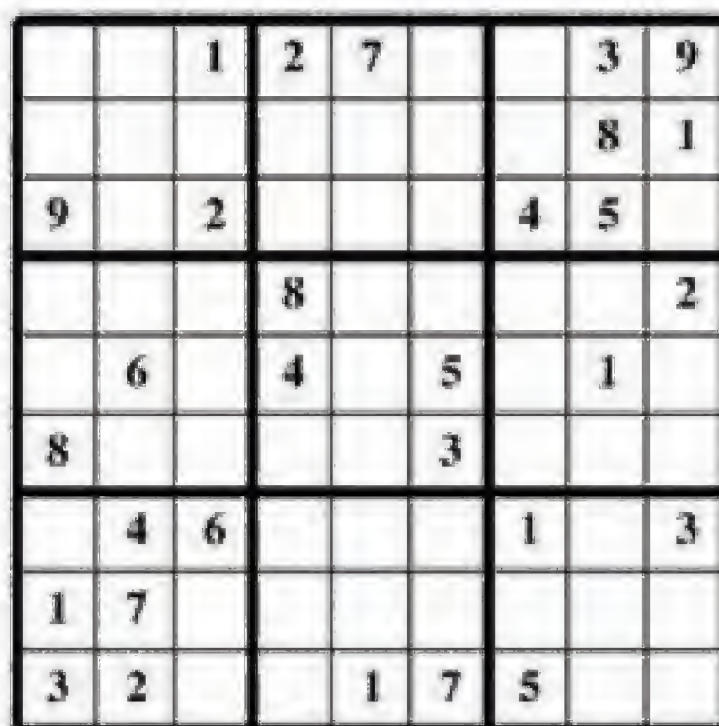
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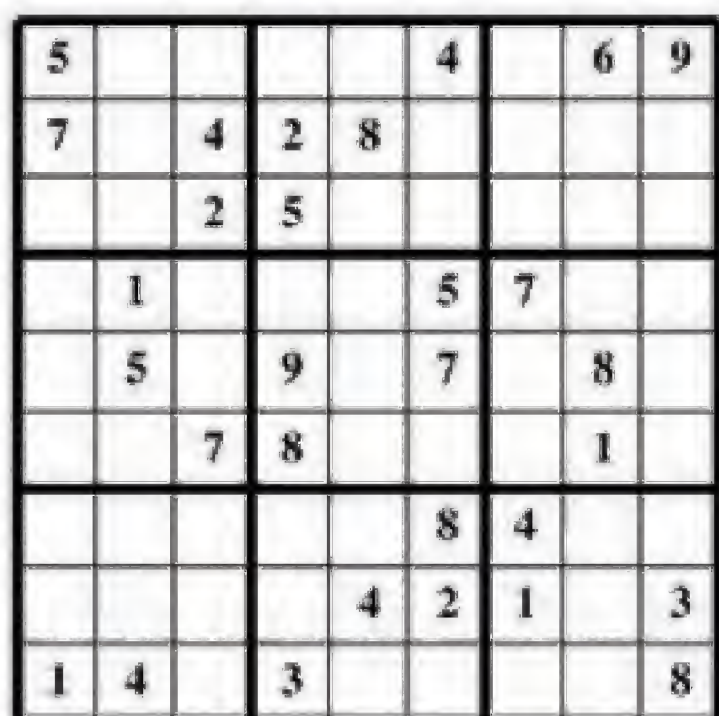


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**Aries** Emotions will be difficult to control. Consider all the angles before you jump into something that may not be right for you. Romance should be a priority.



**Taurus** Gather information and discuss your ideas with someone who may put a damper on your plans if you try to move forward without approval. Resolve a health issue.



**Gemini** An unexpected proposal can turn into a fiasco if you overspend. Get the costs before committing to something that has the potential to turn into a money pit.



**Cancer** Get your work out of the way before someone criticizes you. Taking on too much will be unproductive and leave you in an awkward position.



**Leo** A short trip or friendly meeting with someone who shares your beliefs and strategies will lead to an intriguing proposal. Take more interest in children or elders.



**Virgo** Network with people who can help you flesh out an idea that will secure your position. Don't give in to anyone putting demands on your time or asking for money.



**Libra** It's an opportune day to make arrangements to do something unique with a loved one. Letting your life become too mundane or routine will cause dissatisfaction.



**Scorpio** Don't let your emotions cloud your vision. You have to look at the facts and be willing to take some of the blame when disagreements come into play.



**Sagittarius** You are dedicated and ready to pursue whatever it takes to make your life better. Setting up a workstation at home will lead to greater income.



**Capricorn** Emotions will flare up. Don't let the actions of others upset you. Back away if you don't want to take part in something. Trust your judgment. Be a leader.



**Aquarius** Share your feelings with someone you want to spend more time with. Joining forces with someone searching for similar results will lead to a victory.



**Pisces** Look past discord and opposition, and remain intent on reaching your goal regardless of others' actions. Your victory will come from intelligence and strength. EUGENIA LAST

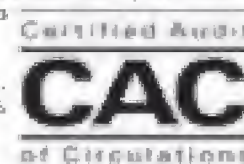
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